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SUBJECT: PROPOSAL ON TRANSFER OF SANCTIONS

FOLLOWING IS THE TEXT OF A JOINT US-MEXICAN PRESS RELEASE
ON THE NEGOTIATION OF A TREATY ON TRANSFER OF SANCTIONS
WHICH WILL BE RELEASED IN MEXICO CITY AT 6 PM OCTOBER 22
"REPRESENTATIVES OF THE GOVERNMENT OF MEXICO AND THE
GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, ON OCTOBER 22,
1976, OPENED NEGOTIATIONS ON A PROPOSED TREATY BETWEEN
THE TWO COUNTRIES PROVIDING THAT NATIONALS CONVICTED IN
ONE COUNTRY MIGHT SERVE THEIR SENTENCES IN THEIR COUNTRY
OF ORIGIN. PROPOSED TEXTS OF A TREATY HAD EARLIER BEEN
EXCHANGED. THE PURPOSE OF SUCH A TREATY IS TO FACILITATE
THE REHABILITATION OF SUCH PERSONS.

TODAYS MEETING WAS HELD IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TIMETABLE
AGREED UPON AT THE PREVIOUS MEETING OF REPRESENTATIVES
OF THE TWO GOVERNMENTS ON SEPTEMBER 14. IT IS HOPED THAT
THE NEGOTIATIONS CAN BE CONCLUDED DURING NOVEMBER.
UPON COMPLETION OF NEGOTIATIONS THE TEXT OF THE TREATY
WOULD BE CONSIDERED BY THE INTERESTED AGENCIES OF THE
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TWO GOVERNMENTS. IT WAS UNDERSTOOD BY BOTH PARTIES THAT

IMPLEMENTATION OF SUCH A TREATY WOULD REQUIRE LEGISLATIVE ACTION BY THE RESPECTIVE CONGRESSES.

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